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For : CHRYSOSPORIUM CELLULASE AND METHODS OF USE

RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This communication is in response to the Office Action mailed December 18, 2001, for which a response was due March 18, 2002. A petition and fee for a 3-month extension of time is enclosed herewith, extending the time for filing a response to June 18, 2002, therefore this response is timely filed. A notice of appeal is submitted herewith.

AMENDMENT

Please amend the specification by adding the following new paragraph, as the last paragraph on page 70:

C¹ This mutant strain of C1, designated C1 UV13-6, was deposited on February 9, 1998 with the All Russian Collection of Microorganisms, Moscow, Pushchino 142292 Russian Federation, with deposit number VKM F-3632 D.
